KARO-ECHO Board Meeting 7/05/23

via Zoom

Attendees:

Howdy Goudey KE6BEE
Frans Kuypers KJ6IUV
Annette McCoubry KJ6SWK
Tom Fattaruso KN6BUY
Blake Yeaman KN6CMP

Board discussion items:

Field Day and 4th of July

Follow-up

Ken6 CERT shed has been relocated to UUCB

Plan for future meetings

July: Post Field Day discussion

August: Mike N6JGA, ARRL section manager Sept: Richard Dillman KPH/MRHS, two topics

Marine coast station KPH, its history and current operation

or, Marconi's original trans-Pacific operation and its evolution

KPH field trip opportunity

Other ideas and main meeting agenda items?

Topics discussed:

Coordination between CERT areas across county lines

- Blake KN6CMP emailed us a copy of material he received in a CERT training class.
- Fire departments can be leary of volunteers with no training.
- We could volunteer for a non-emergency event such as a race to gain experience.

Membership meeting agenda

• Field Day

- El Cerrito July 4th
- CERT
- Future meetings have speakers scheduled
- Ask Kevin James to be a speaker?

Field Day, July 4th

• Follow up on sign-ins

Shed

- The tuff-shed from Kensington has been moved to the Unitarian Church in Kensington but there are no definite plans for it yet.
- Hal KK6NDF will be managing its use.
- Installing an antenna on it may or may not be approved by the church.
- Items that were removed from the Kensington Fire Department can be moved into the shed.

Outreach

• The Solano Stroll could be a PR opportunity for us.